QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

The Piravam-Ramangalam road.

159. ✻ MR. KOTTALIL P. ABRAHAM (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have received any petition from the Ramangalam public praying for the improvement and construction of the Piravom-Ramangalam road in Muvattupuzha taluk, and what action, if any, was taken on it?

MR. S. SESHA AIYAR: No petition has been received. But steps have been taken for the acquisition of the lands through which the road passes.

Disposal of memorials from subordinate officers.

160. ✻ MR. K. T. THOMAS (*Tiruvalla*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there is any definite procedure laid down in regard to the disposal of memorials addressed to Government from subordinate officers appealing against the orders of their immediate superiors; and

(*b*) whether any one other than the Dewan is competent to dispose of such memorials?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: (*a*) and (*b*). The member is referred to the petition rules Dis. No. 1696/26/Revenue, dated the 11th November 1926 published at pages 1294 and 1295, 2nd supplement to Land Revenue Manual, Volume II, Part II and to its amendment R. Dis. No. 1127/32/Revenue published at page 599 of the 3rd supplement to Land Revenue Manual, Volume II.

Applications for opening schools.

161. ✻ MR. K. T. THOMAS: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by communities, to which the applicants belong, of:

(*a*) the applications for sanction to start schools—
- (i) Vernacular Primary Schools,
- (ii) Vernacular Middle Schools,
- (iii) Vernacular High Schools,
- (iv) English Middle Schools, and
- (v) English High Schools;

(*b*) the number of schools sanctioned in each category with the names of persons to whom the sanction has been accorded; and

(*c*) the number of applications for permission to open higher classes in existing schools with the number sanctioned in each category?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN; (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) * A statement furnishing the information is laid on the table.

* *Vide* Appendix I.

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